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carried to the new building. Today mention is made of Ladies' and Children's Outer Garments. Ten thousand have been sold at a profit. The re maining two thousand one hundred and seven garcents shall be sold at a profitable loss.

LADIES WINTER SUITS. Every garment at less than manufacturers' prices.

\$9 for the \$13.50 Suits of Gray and Tan Cloths,

\$12.50 for the \$18 English Diagonal Cloth \$12.50 for the \$30 Imported Mixed Cloth

Sutts. All styles are included. \$15 for the \$25 English Broadcloth Suits, navy. tan, gray, green, black. The Fur-trimmed Garment

that were \$35 are included at \$15. WINTER NEWMARKETS BELOW COST None reserved. Here are the bargains that will be

37.50 for the \$12.50 English Cape Newmarkets

\$18,50 for the \$25 Newmarkets, made from he tan and gray mixed cloths that are the very latest

LADIES ENGLISH BOX COATS.

The best bargains are pointed to in the opinion of the writer, but perhaps you will find others to suit

\$4.98 for the \$7.50 Coats of diagonals and cheviots: navy and black. These are the garments that have gained a reputation as being perfect fit-

\$6.98 for the #8.75 Coats of fancy tan cloths. Have the London style plaited backs, velvet colla

\$3.98 for the \$5 Box Coats of fancy tan and gray cloths. All sizes now, but you must hurry, for the demand will be greater than the supply.

89 for the \$13.50 Coats of imported cloths in fancy grays and tans, satin facings and plaited backs after the most approved English style.

\$4.48 for the \$6 Black Cheviot Coats, with full shawl collar of astrakhan fur. Only large sizes, how

\$7.50 for the \$9.75 Black Cheviot Coats, with entire front faced with electric seal. These Coats are one of the Palais Royal specialties, and at 89.75 brought little profit other than your favorable talk.

\$7.50 for the \$9.75 English Military Coats of Black Cloth, with fur shawl collar and fastenings Another of our specialties, being an American edition of the \$15 carments forwarded by our London agent

\$10.75 for the \$15 English Coats as above \$9 for the \$13.50 Fine Black Diagonal Cloth

Coats, with English style plaited back. The superior quality of the cloth is pointed to.

\$15 for the \$20 Imported Coats of whipcords

diagonals and cheviots; navy and black. \$15 for choice of the \$25 and \$30 Coats, su

perbly made, of finest cloths, trimmed with best grade of furs. These are sister garments to those of fered at the very exclusive establishments for \$35, \$18 for the \$22.50 Paris Coats, with empire

capes: navy and tan. But few of these garments.

\$29 for the \$40 London Cape Coats. Of course you are charged for the name of the maker, but note the silk linings, the mink for edging and trimming. then have one tried on. \$40 was a high price; too high, perhaps, but 829 is very little for such gar-

FURS BELOW COST PRICE.

Attention is asked to the fact that these are furriers' furs-the best. The profits were small in the first instance, so that though the reductions in prices may not seem very great yet all of the profit and part of the coat is given you. \$27 for the \$35 Marten Capes is \$4 less than they

cost us at wholesale. \$30 for the \$35 Canada Seal Capes. Consider-

ing these garments are 30 inches long they are cheap

\$35 for the \$40 Canada Seal Capes, which are XX quality. Full 32 inches long.

\$40 for the \$50 Seal Capes that are XXX quality the best, as those know who are conversant with fine furs. It should also be observed that these Canada Seal Furs are London-dyed, and equal the Alaska seal carments in appearance-in fact, cannot be detected on a lady who is otherwise appropriately dressed.

\$5.98 for choice of the 89 Capes, among which are the following furs: Lynx, Electric Scal, Astra-Attention is asked to the Electric Scal Capes. The

furs of animals whose habits are akin to the seal are closely sheared and then treated by an electric process. Not only the appearance but the durability of

seal for is attained.

See Boas and muffs, and muffs to match above mentioned capes are also offered at greatly reduced prices. Also children's fur sets and robes for buby carriages.

WRAPPERS, TEA GOWNS, &C.

\$15 for choice of the \$20 and \$25 Paris sarments Descriptions would give a poor idea of the beauty and style-to indefinable something of Paris-made garments. That Tea Gowns costing no more to import are more often sold at \$30 and \$35 is a fact yet may easily learn of.

\$1.68 for Figured Flannelette Wrappers: Black. hipe and brown grounds, with figures in designs and colors fac similes of the best French flannels. Made up so elegantly that Tea Gown is a more appropriate name than Wrapper. So popular are they that almost il merchants have them for sale at \$2 each.

MISSES GARMENTS BELOW COST. Cuats for Misses from 12 to 18 years of age. Gretchens

or girls from 4 to 10 years. Dresses and Coats for youngsters from 1 to 6 years. Long Coats for baby. We have previously advertised the reduced prices. An additional reduction now—10 per cent discount.

THE PALAIS ROYAL

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you to wear in Gloves on NewYear's day we refer you to our stock—the largest and best we have shown since we began business. The manufacture of Gloves has attained a wonderful degree of perfection. In France it is said that the young kids frolic about in a covering of cloth or a blanket to about in a covering of cloth or a blanket to protect their soft, delicate skin from being scratched or torn. Suede Gloves will reign this winter. We have bought largely and wisely. It will be to your interest to buy your Gloves of us this season. Note list of

specials" below.

In addition to Gioves we have an attractive stock of "Evening" Fans, "Lottie Col-lins" Garters, Evening Silk Hosiery, Fancy Vests (low neck and no sleeves), Fragrant Perfumeries, Evening Laces, Embroidered Silk-chiffon-and-linen Handkerchiefs, At-tractive Jewelry, Neckwear, &c.

Special Values In Gloves.

4-but. "Superior" Kid Gloves. \$1.50
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4-but. Suede "Popular" Gloves. \$1.25
4-but. Suede "Perfection" Gloves. \$1.50
4-but. Suede "Superior" Gloves. \$1.90
5-book "Special" Kid Gloves. \$1.00

S. but. Suede, extra quality...

THE BON MARCHE Seventh Street's Most Popular Shopping Place

314-316 7TH ST. N. W.

807 Penna Ave. 807

Grand Values In Ladies' Vests. Wearers say about this especially grand offer we make for tomorrow: "The Rib Knitting with PLAIN STITCHING on the inner surface and NARROWED WAIST gives comfort and durability." Also, "With ordinary washing non-printable in all fabrics. Tomorrow only, each. 62%CTS.

Broken lots in Misses' and Ladies' Hose. were 15 and 25 cts. Choice for...12% CTS.

Striped Flannel Skirts, with plaid borders, various colors and combinations. \$1.

MINNIX, FONDA & COMPANY. 807 Penna. ave. n. w. [Telephone 1414.]

CHILDS & McDERMID. Ladies' Furnishers, 1114-1116 F ST. N. W.

CLOARS AT COST.

We have just what you want for this weather, CLOAKS, and Cloaks exactly at cost, too. If your coat needs replacing this is an excellent opportunity to replace it at a very small cost.

We've always given the best goods at mod-Note some of these great falls:

Blue Novelty Coats, silk and jet trimmines, reduced from \$32.50 to. 27.50 Imported Cloths, jet and silk trim-mines, reduced from \$45.00 to..... 39.00 mings, reduced from \$45.00 to..... 39.00 Children's Coats of all kinds at the same great reduction prices.

CHILDS & Mc DERMID "Everything a Woman Wants," 1114-1116 F Sr. N. W.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAOR-DINARY.

JULIUS LANSBURGH ANNOUNCES FROM HHH EE

NEW YORK AVE.

BET. 13TH AND 14TH STS., That those desiring CREDIT, on

weekly or monthly payments, will be accommodated. It is unnecessary to state that the prices will be asusual: "Lowest in the city."

THE RINK. NEW YORK AVE. Ber. 13TH AND 14TH STS JULIUS LANSBURGH.

Cupe. Thimbles, &c. These are now on ex-hibit and will be sold at exceptionally low prices to introduce this most excellent ware.

R. NATHANSON, 818 7TH.

NEW "ALUMINUM" WARE

"Aluminum" Ware makes a bold bid for a large portion of the silver-plated ware trade, arge portion of the silver-plated ware trade, and asks for it solely upon its merits.

"Aluminum" Ware has many advantages over silver-plated. Silver-plated ware eventually tarnishes and "Aluminum" does not.
"Aluminum" is considerably lighter, is more readily worked into shapes and is also more durable. The best feature of "Aluminum" PROF. J. J. GEORGES & SON. Chiropodists, Parlors, 1115 Pa. ave. Next to Palais Roya durable. The best feature of "Aluminum" ware is its inexpensiveness, for although better than silver-plated ware it is sold at about haif its price. We are first to introduce it in Washington. Our importation embraces. Ben Bon Boxes and Dishes, Necklaces, Braces. Bon Bon Bones and Dishes, Nocklaces, Brace-lets, Jewel Cases, Card Cases, Comb and Brush Cases, Purses, Chrarette and Char Cases, Trays, Match Safes, Toothpick Holders, Indi-vidual Saits, Individual Butters, Napkin Rings, Wine and Water Sets, Butter Dishes, Combination Pepper, Salt and Butter Sets, Envelope Holders, Hand Mirrors, Drinking Cura, Thimbles, he. These are recovery

FURS RICH AND RARE

AT STINEMETZ & SONS.

Stylish, pretty Fur Animals for wear around the neck, Mink Scarfs from \$5 up. B. H. STINEMETZ & SON:

"THE THOROUGHBRED" IS STEWART'S
I latest and most persect banjo; call and see it.
Mandolins, guitars and banj s of all styles and prices
d6 "HENBY WHITE, R35 F st.

MAN CENTRE WAS SEEN AND SEEN UNIVERSAL PRAYER. Christian People Throughout the World to Observe the Week of Prayer. The program for the week of prayer, which BOD AIL Y begins on Sunday next, has been prepared by the committee of the Evangelical Alliance. The general subjects for each day are the same throughout the world, while the subordi-

Matt. xxviii:19-20. Rom. i:14-17. Prayer: For

For increasing appreciation of need and obliga-tion. Acts ii, 41-47. Prayer: For pastors, missionaries and other laborers; for the heathen

Prayer for increased sanctity of the married relation, for systematic religious Instruction in

Sunday, January 8—Sermons: The Promised Outpouring., Joel. ii:28-32; The Plain Command, "Ask Ye of the Lord," Zech., x:1.

GEORGETOWN.

THE FIRE THIS MORNING.

About 8:45 this morning fire broke out in the

three-story frame house on High street near N

occupied by Bent. F. Shanks as a bar room and

dwelling. The alarm was turned in at the en-gine house and in a few minutes the fire fighters

were on the scene. Owing, however, to the flames being confined between the ceiling and

ceilings walls and stock of the affected build-

ings. The houses are owned by the heirs of the Mosier heirs and leased by Mr. Coon. The loss to the buildings is about \$500 and to the stock about \$250.

CHURCH CELEBRATIONS.

At Grace Church last evening there was a

Christmas celebration for the benefit of the

children that was interesting from beginning

to end. Instead of Santa Claus taking posses-

sion of the good things Christopher Columbus assumed control an., aided by a crowd of noisy

but generous Indians, threw candies, nuts, figs, &c., into the lap of every one present. The children were delighted at the entertainment and voted it the greatest kind of a

At Christ Church Mr. W. A. Gordon on Sat-

urday impersonated Santa Claus, proving him to be the most rollicking kind of a fellow. He

was exceedingly generous too, every child re-ceiving something from the huge bag he car-

A WELL-ATTENDED RECEPTION.

Last evening the Ancient Daughters of Ta

bitha. No. 2, of West Washington, D. C., held a

vell attended and enjoyable reception at the

Catholic Beneficial Hall, 18th street near Q.

Dancing was indulged in, music being fur-nished by the Capital City Orchestra and a

and somely spread supper partaken of.

Among those who helped to make the enterainment the success it was are Mrs. Hannah

ICE ON THE UPPER POTOMAC.

Ice on the upper Potomac is reported to be

of the Aqueduct bridge it was yesterday of

sufficient strength to hold scores of skaters. Rock creek and Little river were also covered

in many places with groups and the indication is that for several days at least skating will be

CUSTOM HOUSE ENTRIES.

The statement of entries received at the

Georgetown custom house during the week

Books, \$244; wine in casks, \$1,187; wool clothing, \$235; champagne, \$183; living plants, \$383; manufactured metal, \$237; manufactured

silk, \$281; carriages, \$600; robes, \$196; antiqui-

A LIVELY LITTLE SCRAP.

A lively little scrap between two overjubilant

street and wound up in the arrest of both

THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT—Judge Bradley.

*Today—Black agt. Fairbank Canning Co.;
motion to quash service of writ overruled. W.
Leonhardt et al. agt. W. T. Harris et al.; motion to quash attachment granted.

Equity Count—Judge Bradley.
Today—Sisson agt. Sisson; alimony and counsel fees allowed. Steen-Block Company agt. Bernheim; motion to rescind order of reference to auditor overruled.

Columbus Out in the Cold.

Christopher Columbus had the American fla

removed from his manly form yesterday and

was the presentation of the ice-water fountain to the city of Chicago by John B. Drake, proprietor of the Grand Pacific Hotel. The foun-

he was turned out in the cold. The oc

ending December 24, 1892, is as follows:

ties, \$110-\$3,656.

principals.

Substantial Reductions In

> Coat opportunity extraordinary! We took a run through the stock this morning and reduced each and every

fur-trimmed coat. These are entirely new styles man ufactured especially for this season's

They embrace a variety of Reefer and other styles, in smooth and rough cloths, with full, shawl-rolling collar and edgings of Astrahkan, cape, seaf, black marten, clipped coney and stone marten fur. We also reduced a few Navy Blue and Light "Novelty" Fur-

Trimmed Coats.

We intended to give an itemized list of these reductions in today's "Star." but before we could get them completely assorted and marked the cloak depart ment became crowded with customers and we were unable to proceed with

They will be marked during the day, row. The shrewd ones won't wait for the advertised announcement tomorrow evening. They will call early tomorrow morning.
You will find the reductions un-

usually great when you consider the desirability of the garments. We do not intrn a to carry over a single winter coat if a price will cause it

William H. McKnew. 933 P. Ave.

FOR NEW YEAR'S RECEPTIONS, &C We have opened an exquisite

> LADIES' DANCING AND RE-CEPTION SLIPPERS AND SHOES Secured expressly for the coming

social season.

Slippers of Satin, Dongola Kid,
Suede, &c., in evening shades;
also gray, tan and black. HOOVER & SNYDER. Shoe Fitters

LADIES' AND MEN'S FINE

FOOTWEAR. 1217 PA AVE

> W. M. SHUSTER & SONS. TEN PER CENT OFF FOR CASH.

For the Holidays we are showing the grandest line of LADIES' EMBROID-ERED HANDKERCHIEFS to be found in this market. Also a splendid line of UMBRELLAS, all kinds, sizes and new designs in handles. On all of which we allow a cash discount of 10 cents off

W. M. SHUSTER & SONS 919 PENN. AVENUE

erate prices, but our Cloaks have been reduced lower than ever could be expected. HAWKES MAGNIFICENT CUT GLASS AT WILMARTH & EDMONSTON'S.

It is not strange that Hawkes' Cut Glasshould en'oy such a world-wide reputation should en'oy such a world wide reputation and popularity when you consider that it was given the "Grand Prize" at the Paris Exposition after being adjudged by the most renowned experts in the world. No! it has justly earned its reputation for beauty, chrystal beilliancy and original artistic "cuttings," and its large sale belongs to it by right of superiority. "cuttings," and its large sale belongs to it by right of superiority. Cut Glass ranks next to diamonds in pop-ular favor as Xmas gifts, and we are now exhibiting an exquisite array of shapes and lesigns. Sole Washington agents for "Hawkes"

WILMARTH & EDMONSTON, 1205 PA. AVE. N.W.

PROSPHATIC EMULSION

No other preparation of COD LIVER OIL combines so many serviceable ingredients without any useless ones as this. We take great pains in making this in the best manner and having it always fresh.

75 cents pint bottle.

W. S. THOMPSON. 703 15th st.

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"HIGH-CLASS" EXTRACTS

AT OGRAM'S avenue

There are times when you are not so very particular about the strength and flavor of your extracts. There is one day at least that none but the most refreshing, most fragrant, will answer, and that day is New Year day. If you propose to assist at a New Year reception you should come to us for your Extracts.

Death of Mrs. Ross. The rarest sweets of the most fra Mrs. Phobe Ross, widow of Gen. Samuel grant natural flowers and plants Ross of the United States army and mother of Lieut, Worth G. Ross of the United States reveto produce our stock of Extracts nue marine and Dr. Ralph Ross, died suddenly The most famous makers of the new in this city on Christmas afternoon. The re-mains will be taken to Lancaster, Pa., for in and old world are represented by their choicest scents. Prices sensi-

Ogram's Drug Stores, 1211 Pa. ave. and gram's Drug Stores, cor. 17th and hists. n. w.

GEORGES BUNION CURE. A natural and harmless cure for Bunions nvented, patented and manufactured by

Notwithstanding the large trade previous to Christmas we still have a complete line of Ladies' Seaiskin Reefers, Jackets and Capes, Fur Capes, Neck Scarfs, Muffs, &c. Superb line of English Military Capes in Mink, Astrakhan, English Chipped Coney (imitation sealskin) Gray Krimmer, &c. Handsone line of new style Muffs to match.

DRUNGENNESS OR THE LIQUOR HABIT POSI. Dr. HAINES' GOLDEN SPECIFIC.

A LIVELY POLICY RAID.

erable Paraphernalia Captured and Some Arrests Made Today. This morning about 10 o'clock there was a lively raid made on an alleged policy shop in 1006 6th st. s.w. house No. 312 14th street northwest. Inspector Hollinberger and Lieut. Amiss with a

same throughout the world, while the subordinate topics are adapted to the peculiar conditions of each country meetings. The program for this country is as follows:

Sermons—Sunday, January 1, the Exalted Savior's "Gifts for Men." Ps., lxviii:18.19. John, xvi:29, 24. Acts, v:31. Eph., iv:7, 8.

Monday, January 2—Humiliation and thanksgiving—Confession: Of selfishness and wordiness; of unfaithfulness to truth and opportunity. Ps. 32. Dan., ix:5. Matt., xvi:26. Prayer: For grace to put away whatever hinders individual, family or national blessings. Neh., ix:1-8. Job, xi:14. Acts, xxvi:20. Praise and thanksgiving: For God's revelation of Himself; for an increasing apprehension of Christ's relations to all human affairs. Jer., xxxi:29. Ezek., xi:19, 20.

Tuesday, Jaguary 3—The church universal—

Praise: For missionary progress: for the "vol-unteers" in institutions of learning.—Ps. lxvii. the missionary societies; for increased missionary spirit, co-operation and contributions; for missionaries and their helpers; for native churches and their pastors; for secret believers; for the conversion of Jews, Mohammedans and heather, for increased for the conversion of Jows, monamined and an heathen; for increased recognition of the oneness of the race.—Ps. xxii:27-28. Mal. i:11.
Eph. iii:6.
Friday, January 6, home missions—Praise:

creeks are frozen over and a number of sail for this port ice-bound. at our doors; for depleted rural districts and neglected city populations that a divine urgency may impel to effort therefor, for increased Christian comity. Acts iv, 13-31. I Cor. 10, 17. Eph. i. 10: iv, 13.

Saturday, January 7: Families and schools.—

Steamer Sue after repairing her eccentric at Alexandria cut through the ice for Baltimore, and was spoken off St. George's Island at 4 o'clock this morning by the Norfolk. The steamer Arrowsmith was withdrawn from her route yesterday and left for Baltimore last evening. She will be thoroughly overhauled evening. She will be thoroughly overhauled and made ready for the spring trade. The Wakefield will extend her route so as to touch the landings formerly made by the Arrowsmith. This schedule will give the Wakefield a three days trip. Her route will include Fort Foote. River View, Fort Washington, Marshall Hall, Glymont, Ludian Head City, Nach Patrice City. relation, for systematic religious Instruction in the home and for a more general observance of family worship, for parents, children and servants, that in their mutual relations they may obey the teachings of Christ, for the preservation and increased efficiency of our public schools, for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon teachers and learners in all schools, colleges, seminaries and universities, and upon Sunday schools and religious societies of young men and young women.—Deut., vi.4-7; Mark, x:13-22; Prov., iv:13-27; Deut., xi:18-21.

Sunday, January 8—Sermons: The Prom-

Fort Washington, Marshall Hall, Glymont, Indian Head, Stump Neck, Potomac City, Liver-pool Point, Smith's Point, Chatterton, Stuart's Wharf, Riverside, Mathias Point, Lower Cedar Point, Wilkerson's, Colonial Beach, Rock Point, Bushwood, Colton's, Nomini, Mount Holly, Deep Point, Dailey's, Thompson's, Beale's, Curriomen, Mount Airy, Coobrums, Howard's, Stone's, Abell's, Leonardtown, Saint George's Island, Miller's, Coan, Bundick's, Barnes', Cowart's, Lodge, Mundsy's Point and Kinsale. Among the passengers up today on the propeller Norfolk were twenty young ladies from the Norfolk Female College. They were chaperoned by Miss Swain. The party will do Washington and return to Norfolk via Balti-

more.

The Norfolk this morning brought up a large consignment of baled cotton seed for Boston.

The wrecked manure-laden schooner reported were on the scene. Owing, however, to the flames being confined between the ceiling and roof it was with much difficulty water could be thrown upon them and in consequence they spread to the ceiling of the adjoining house, occupied by Mr. John W. Coon as a paperhanging establishment. Ready hands assisted at the taking out of the house furniture, which was placed in the store of Mr. C. H. Demar next door. One of the Washington engines came over, attached her hose to the O street plug and rendered good service. The loss by the flames proper is probably small, but the water thrown upon them seriously hurt the ceilings, walls and stock of the affected buildby Capt. Passeno of the Cecile could not have been out of Washington. The last craft to leave this port was the schooner Dail, Capt. McNamara, December 16, for Western Branch. Although no word has been received from the Dail it is thought by her shipper. Mr. Thomas J. Riley that she must have been received. Thomas J. Riley, that she must have proceeded much farther down than Mattawoman creek,

where the wreck was seen.
The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Com-

rivals in three days. Oysters are selling at 60 cents and \$1 per bushel.

Schooner Curlin, loaded with wood for Washington, is under ice embargo at Nomini.

Several wood-laden schooners and long boats iced in at Acuse Chicagony Washington. Several wood-later schooners and long boats iced in at Aquia, Chicomuxon, Mattawoman, Mattox and Piscataway creeks. Captain Crawford of the pungy Marie is in Baltimore on business.

To Construe a Will. Sophie Hess has, by Messrs. Edwards & Barnard, filed a bill against Wm. Hess, Catherine E. Hess et al. for the construction of the will of Mary Elizabeth Hess and the sale of lot 7, square 552.

Burned to Death in Bed. Mrs. Mary McGovern was badly burned in her apartments on Davis avenue, West New Brighton, S. I., yesterday and died from her injuries. The people living in the lower part of the house heard screams for help coming from Mrs. Mc-Govern's apartments, and, rushing upstairs, broke open the door and found the old lady lying on her bed. The bedding had caught fire and was ablaze all about her. Before she could and was ablaze all about her. Before she could be rescued she was frightfully burned about the face, arms and body. Mrs. McGovern was a widow and lived alone. She was an habitual smoker, and it is believed that she had at-

Carter, Mrs. Jennie Smith, Mrs. Cecelia Mitchell, Miss Cecelia Dodson, Miss Clara Mahorney, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowman, Mrs. Annie Coates, Mrs. Agnes James, Mrs. Albert Wilson, Miss Cynthia Parker, Mrs. Eliza Wilson and Miss Anna Mahoney. them were stricken. The Eppendorf Hospital seven inches thick, while in the neighborhood is treating thirty-eight cases of cholera, of which eight are of an exceedingly virulent type. There was one death from cholera at the hospital yesterday. Without doubt the disease is pital yesterday. Without doubt the disease is making steady, although slow, progress. General uneasiness prevails, especially in mercantile circles, which are still under the burdens of last fall's losses. Increase in the sick list and death list would mean within a few weeks that all opportunity of making good recent reverses would be lost. The life insurance companies are said to be already curtailing

Probably the Last of County Democra It is predicted in some quarters that before the last of this week the county democracy will be no more. For some time all sorts of rumore A lively little scrap between two overjubilant about the disintegration of the organization Georgetown boys occurred yesterday on 32d has been heard, but not until lately has it been discovered that they were based on fact.

> Ten of Yachting Party Drowned. A sad accident ocurred at Sydney, N. S. W. vesterday to a party of merrymakers, resulting in the death of ten of them. The owner of a yacht made up a party of his friends to take a sail and twenty-three persons accepted the invitation. All went well and all on board were enjoying themselves until the mouth of the harbor was reached. Here a severe squall struck harbor was reached. Here a severe squall struck the yacht, and, before any preparation could be made to meet it, the vessel capsized. The squall passed away as quickly as it had come and vessels in the vicinity bore down to the up-turned craft. They succeeded in picking up thirteen persons who were struggling in the water, but ten of the party were not seen after the yacht turned over.

> > The Wax Figures Melted. .

A fire occurred yesterday afternoon in the factory of J. R. Palmenberg's Sons, 89-91 West 3d street, New York. The building is a fivestory structure, in which over a hundred men and girls are employed in the manufacture of papier-mache show forms and wax figures. The papier-mache show forms and wax figures. The day being a holiday none of them were in the building. The upper floors were stocked with wax figures and material for their manufacture. In fifteen minutes from the time of the discovery of the fire the westerly half of the building was a seething furnace. Two firemen were overcome by escaping gas while dragging a hose through the basement. They were rescued and revived. The fire was got under control after one hour's hard work. The losses are estimated at \$30,000 on stock and \$10,000 on the building.

prietor of the Grand Pacific Hotel. The fountain has been erected between the city hall and court house and is surmounted by a bronze statue of Columbus. The American flag was removed from the statue yesterday afternoon, and Thos. O'Brien, on behalf of Mr. Drake, stood on the city hall steps and made the formal presentation. Mayor Washburn accepted on behalf of the city and then the half-frozen crowd left Columbus in the cold and repaired to the council chamber to refresh themselves.

LIQUOR LICENSES ACTED ON. The Commissioners have approved the appli-cation for retail liquor license of Mary Martin,

They have rejected the applications of the following persons for wholesale licenses: Wm. Jewell, 2105 Pa. ave. n.w.; Hugh McCann, 1628 11th st. n.w.; Chas. McCarthy, 3401 M st. n.w.;

Heavy Ice as Far Down the River as Cedar Point.

Mate Posey of the propeller Norfolk, Geoghegan, reports heavy ice as far down as Lower Cedar Point. The Norfolk came through on time. The powerful Baltimore tugs Lizzie Hunt and Jupiter came up this morning with a tow of Philadelphia coal barges.

These are the only arrivals today. There are four inches of ice between Washington and Indian Head, and growing harder. All the creeks are frozen over and a number of sail for Capitol st. n.w.; Thos. A. Rover, 741 North Capitol st. n.w.; Thos. A. Rover, 741 North Capitol st. n.e.

AN ASSESSMENT CANCELED. In accordance with the judgment of the District Supreme Court the special assessment in the case of Mickle against the District of Columbia has been canceled by the direction of the

AGAINST THE STREET PIANOS. Some days ago Messrs. Pfeiffer & Conlift, 516 11th street northwest, complained to the Commissioners of a nuisance caused by the playing of street pianes before their place of business and requested that it be stopped. The chief of police reporting that there were but thirteen licensed street pianes. Messrs. Pfeiffer & Conlieff were today informed Messrs. Figure & Conneil were today informed that, while the Commissioners could not equitably prevent the playing of the instruments altogether, the police would be instructed to prevent it as far as possible.

A CEMENT SIDEWALK. Under the permit system a Cranford cement sidewalk will be laid at the southeast corner of 9th and F streets northwest at a cost of \$571.96. A SEWER ORDERED. The Commissioners have directed that the

construction of a sewer on the south side of T street between 34th and 35th northwest at an estimated cost of \$572 be added to the schedule of work to be done when funds become avail-A LIQUOR HEAPING. At noon tomorrow the Commissioners will give a hearing to the people of Anacostia who

are opposed to the granting of licenses for the sale of liquor in that place. GAS LAMPS ORDERED. The erection of lamps have been ordered by east; one southeast corner of 10th and Estreets northeast; two west side of 1st between K and

L streets northeast; one east side of 12th between D and E streets southeast. PERMIT WORK OPDERED. The Commissioners have directed that the following work be done under the compulsory permit system: Laying and relaving sidewalks-11th street southwest, both sides, between Maryland and Virginia avenues: G srteet northwest, northside, from 18th to 19th; K street northwest, north side, from 7th to 8th; 22d street northwest, from No. 1122 to L; D street southeast, north side, from 6th to 7th; 11th street northeast, west side, from H to Maryland avenue; Benning road, south side, from 17th to

Clagett street. Paving alleys all alleys in CONTRACT AWARDED. The Commissioners today awarded the contract for the erection of the Girls' Reform bidder, his bid being \$24,999. The amount appropriated by Congress for the purpose was \$30,000.

bidder, his bid being \$24,999. The amount appropriated by Congress for the purpose was great mental excitement. Suddenly be invested.

Column by the december 25, 15,23 p.m., JAMES A. GIBSON, in the fiftient of his age. School to Mr. Columbus Thomas, the lowest BUILDING PERMITS.

The following building permits were issued frame dwellings, lots 8 and 9, block 11, Trini- other car.

Scates, Jos. P. Fleming and C. F. Humphrey,

Superintendent R. A. Coundie of the Baltimore and Potomac railroad has been requested to deposit \$250 with the Commissioners for the purpose of repairing the main sewer at the corner of 12th and E streets southeast, damaged by the explosion of gasoline in the collision on that road at the tunnel a few days

rendered in 1881.

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At his own request Assistant Engineer Thos. E. Newbold has been granted indefinite leave of absence without pay in view of the suspension of the work on the main intercepting sewer.

Supt. Davis of the street cleaning department has been notified to see that the employes of the contractor for cleaning the streets hereafter close the fire plugs after using them.

Mr. Michael McIntire has been informed that the Commissioners do not consider it expedient to erect a public hydrant on the west side of 13th street between C and D northeast.

The Commissioners today directed that the appointment of Thomas E. Newbold as a bridge-keeper be made at a compensation of \$100 per month.

The Commissioners have notified Miss S. A.

Broker White Pardoned. Gov. Flower, who is spending the Christmas holiday at Watertown, N. Y., has issued a pardon and restored to full citizenship Cumber-

day being a holiday none of them were in the building. The upper floors were stocked with wax figures and material for their manufacture. In fifteen minutes from the time of the discovery of the fire the westerly half of the building was a seething furnace. Two firemen were overcome by escaping gas while dragging a hose through the basement. They were rescued and revived. The fire was got under control after one hour's hard work. The losses are estimated at \$30,000 on stock and \$10,000 on the building.

James Pinkerton, son of Robert Pinkerton, the boiler manufacturer, was found dead on the ice under the Delaware and Lackawanna bridge at Troy, N. Y., Sunday morning. He had fallen over the railing of the structure and broken his neck.

don and restored to full citizenship Cumber-land G. White, who was recently sentenced to his joy found that the returns involved in the mayorality fight were not missing after all. The missing package of the New York stock exchange. He lost two bonds of the value of \$2,000 belonging to a female customer, and, falling to pay the balance of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and to his joy found that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and that the returns involved in the mation of the safe, and t

ALEXANDRIA.

THE COURT OF APPEALS AND THE 33D SECTION The new 33d section of the charter of Alexandria has been, by the court of appeals in the case of Chamberlaine vs. the city of Norfolk,

PRESENTATION OF CHURCH VESTMENTS. An exceedingly pleasant company gathered last night at the hospitable home of City Treasurer M. B. Harlow, and during the evening a

ants.

A QUIET TIME.

Andrieux has since written to his second that he is satisfied with Ribot's explanation.

broils. The rough element has given the mayor a Christmas holiday. CONFERENCE OF EDUCATORS. ome Important Questions to Be Dis-

be convened tomorrow to consider the needs of secondary education in the schools of the country. Each conference will be devoted to one of the principal subjects of instruction only and the teachers selected to take part in it have 2 p.m., 22; maximum, 22; minimum, 14. been chosen for their special ability and experience in that department. Latin will be considered at Ann Arbor, Mich.; Greek at Ann Arbor; English at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; modern languages in this city; mathematics at Cambridge; physics, astronomy and chemistry at Chicago; natural history (biology, chicago; hatural history (blology, including botany, zoology and physiology) at Chicago; history, civil government and political economy at Madison, Wis.; geography (physical geography, geology and meteorology) at

Englewood. Ill.

Each conference will consider thoroughly the proper limits of the subject before them, the best methods of instruction, the wost desirable best methods of instruction, the most desirable allotment of time for the subject and the best method of testing the pupils' attainments the method of testing the pupils' attainments and Maria Cartwright, aged twelve years and seventher. method of testing the pupils' attainments therein. Eleven questions have been prepared to secure similarity in reporting the results. Those ask for reports on the age at which pupils should be set at work on the several subjects, the hours a week and the like, and include such considerations as this:
"Should the subject be treated differently

for pupils who are going to college, for those who are going to a scientific school and for The Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company's steam laundry is in operation. Heretofore the laundry bill of the company has been \$3,000 a year. The new arrangement will result in a saving of 50 per cent.

Reports from Fort Washington say that the ice gorge there is growing worse.

Things are flat at the oyster dock. No ar-

pointed by the national council of education, a department of national educational association, on July 9, to consider this subject of secondary education. His associates are: W. T. Harris, education. His associates are: W. T. Harris, commissioner of education; J. B. Angell, president of the University of Michigan; John Tetlow, head master of the Girls' Latin School, Boston; J. M. Taylor, president of Vassar College; O. D. Robinson, principal of the Albany High School; J. H. Baker, president of the University of Chicago; B. R. Jesse, chancellor of the University of Missouri; J. C. McKenzie, head master of the Lawrenceville School Lawrence and Commission of the Lawrenceville School Lawrenceville S head master of the Lawrenceville School, Law-renceville, N. J., and H. C. King, professor in

THREW HIS MONEY IN THE FIRE

Carl Bullock's Eccentric Actions Attributed to Morphine. caused some alarm on the New York train on the N. Y. and N. H. road the other night by his eccentric actions. He twitched to street tend.

great mental excitement. Suddenly he jumped up and rushed to the car stove and threw a handful of money on the live coals. Previous today: A. C. Clancy, two two-story and cellar to that he had given money to persons in an-

third class.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Commissioners have favorably recommended House bill 9873, creating a board of charities in the District.

Superintedent R. A. Coundie of the Baltimore and Potomac railroad has been recorded.

collision on that road at the tunnel a few days ago.

The authorities of the Soldiers' Home have been granted a permit to make a connection with the water main at the corner of 7th street extended and Whitney avenue.

Mr. Isaac Jones, 112 2d street southeast, has been informed by the Commissioners that they have no authority to issue a drawback for a tax rate certificate in place of paving stock surrendered in 1881.

medicine.

It appears that Bullock is a student at Williams College and is well known in Norwalk. He belongs to a prominent and wealthy family, and is engaged to be married to Miss Alice Mallory, daughter of a wealthy resident of South Norwalk. The ceremony is announced to take piffice next week, and is expected to be the society event of the year in Norwalk.

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destination is unknown. He did not know where he was going when he was stopped at New Haven.

Passengers who were near say that he threw a good-sized roll of bills into the car stove.

A Bookmaker's Generosity. "Tobe" Wall, formerly of this city, of the ookmaking firm of Lynn & Wall, conducting pool room at Arlington, near Baltimore, celebrated Christmas yesterday by making it pleas-The Commissioners today directed that the appointment of Thomas E. Newbold as a bridge-keeper be made at a compensation of \$100 per month.

The Commissioners have notified Miss S. A. Bartlett of Mt. Pleasant that in view of the present improvements in Holmead Manor they do not feel justified in erecting additional gas lamps in the latter place.

A catch basin will be constructed in square 861. ant for all the children in the village and by The Stolen Long Island City Returns.

After the excitement incident to the dis covery that the election returns had been stolen yesterday at Long Island City quieted down Mr. Hayes concluded to make a second examination of the safe, and to his joy found that the

CONDENSED LOCALS.

IN THE Police Court, Judge Miller, yester

In the Police Court, Junged day Asron Love was convicted of larceny and sentenced to a fine of \$50 or ninety days. Thomas Pels was sent down for thirty days for an assault, as was F. Koppel for a similar offense.

Dr. AND Mrs. G. H. La Ferna of the Fredenia Hotel on Sunday were presented by their banks. French clock made of declared to represent the constitutional principle of Virginia as to special taxes. The justice and value of this section was pointed out in The Star at the time that it was proposed to repave King street. Under the old thirty-third section the city countil was given power "to specially Carry Instruction only included States Circuit Countil States Circuit Instruction of Carry Instruction of the United States Circuit Countil Instruction of Carry Instruction of the United States Circuit

King street. Under the old thirty-third section the city council was given power "to specially tax a lot adjoining a street on which paving is done not exceeding two-thirds of the expense." A new thirty-third section was designed to extend this, however, to repaving. &c., but when the general assembly made the new third-third section it provided that the special tax should be on the real estate "benefited" by the improvement. This was interpreted by many as repeating in other words the rule of the old 38d section, and it was contended that the adjoining real estate is always the property benefited by the improvement. The court, however, declares it to be "a false assumption that the abutting property is exclusively benefited by the improvement" which passes by it, and it requires that burdens should be made in exact proportion to benefits.

Mexican onyx inlaid with gold.

CLERK CLANCY of the United States Circuit Court lectured Sunday night before the Washington Society of Seekers After Spiritual Truth. The lecturer sought to demonstrate the existence of a spirital life by the original application of scientific rules and maxims. In the opinion of his andience he succeeded.

CHARLES GRAY, tried for an asseult on Hop Sing, paid \$10 in the Police Court.

In default of giving a \$200 bond in the Police Court for threats toward George Howard Louis Woods of Georgetown was given sixty days in jail.

JUDGE WM. E. NOTT lies seriously ill at his residence, No. 913 I street northwest, having suffered a severe stroke of paralysis on Christmas day.

Ax unknown white man fell in front of Gerstenberg's saloon on Pennsylvania avenue near l'ith street yesterday and received a bad out of the court of the united States Circuit Court lectured Sunday night before the Washington Society of Seekers After Spiritual Truth. The lectures sought to demonstrate the existence of a spirital life by the original application of scientific rules and maxims. In the opinion of his andience he succeeded.

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An unknown white man fell in front of Gerstenberg's saloon on Pennsylvania avenue near lith street yesterday and received a bad cut on the head. He was treated at the Emergency Hospital.

The Potomac this morning has become an ice bridge, without a draw, between Alexandria and the lower sections of the District of Columbia. The relations between the town and its neighbor on the above side of the river have not, however, become any warmer in consequence of the connection. The river front has gone into winter quarters and the river trade is a thing of the past, but there is a general expectation that with spring will come a more prosperous time than the riverside has seen for many years.

PRESENTATION OF CHURCH VESTMENTS.

Said in a Pickwickian Sense. M. Andrieux sent his seconds to M. Ribet resterday to demand satisfaction for the latter's remarks in Friday's speech in the chamber,

set of handsome church vestments were presented Rev. Richard L. Carne, former superintendent of the Alexandria schools, but now assistant pastor of the Sacred Heart Church in Richmond.

A MERRY NIGHT.

The pink domino dance tendered by the ladies to the gentlemen of the Alexandria Dancing Assembly made McBurney's Hall the gayest place in the city last night. The costumes were quaint, the music exhilarating and the enjoyment made a happy night for all the participants.

Important Cash Registry Decision A most important cash register decision has just been rendered in Philadelphia by the United

States circuit court of appeals, the highest court in patent cases, sustaining the National Nine conferences, in which educators of note throughout the country will participate, will automatic cash drawer and awarding a decree against the American Cash Register Company. Range of the Thermon The following were the temperatures at the

office of the weather bureau today: 8 a.m., 15;

COLLINS McFARLAND. December 2: the residence of Mr. G. C. Maynard, it could by Rev. S. M. Newman, B.D., STUART COLLINS, Ph. D., of Brooklyn FRANCES WILSON McFARLAND of DIED.

Funeral Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p.m., at their residence, 1805 Connecticut avenue northwest. Relatives and friends invited to attend. [Baltimore and Fredricksburr papers please copy]

CARROLL. On Monday, December 26, 1802, at 430 p.m., at 300 6th street southeast, Washinston, D.C., ANN BLAND C. CARROLL, daughter of Richard F. and Ann Bland Carroll, aged five years and six months.

Funeral from St. John's Church. Oiney, Md. Wednesiay, December 28, 11 o'clock a.m. Friends respectfully invited to attend.

CLARK. On December 26, 1802, at 3:30 p.m., after a short filmess, ELIZABETH CLAEK, at her residence, 805 3d street southwest.

Funeral Thursday, at 1 p.m., from Zion Baptist Church.

CUDLIFP. On Tuesday, December 27, 1832, at 0 a.m., at her residence, 635 M street northwest, AGNES B., beloved wife of Malcelin A. Cudlipp and daughter of the late 1. Fenreick Toung.

Funeral from St. Dominic's Church Thursday, December 29, where high mass will be said for the repose of her soul.

DENT. On Sunday, December 25, 1892, at 2 o'clock p.m., ANNIE B., beloved wife of A. S. Dent, in her twenty-sixth year.

Funeral Wednesday, December 28, from 1124 B street northeast, at 3 p.m. Belatives and friends respectfully invited.

GAYNOR. On Sunday, December 25, 1892, at 2

spectfully invited.

GAYNOR. On Sunday, December 25, 1892, at 1 p.m., after a long and painful diness, which he bore with Christian fortitude, GEO, W. GAYNOR, the beloved husband of Mary F. Gaynor, departed from the life in the fifty-sixth year of his age.

Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, From which none awake to weep.

There's not a dear inspiring thought.
There's not a truth by wisdom taught.
There's not a feeling pure and dear
But from a father's love and care.
It comes a choicest blessing given,
Exciting reverence next to heaven.
BY HIS WIFE.

society pin to be removed from his vest, in-sisting that the officers should take the garment has passed away.

KELLY. On Tuesday, December 27, 1892, at 16 o'clock a.m., after a long and painful illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, ANNIE KELLY, beloved wife of John F. Kelly, thirty-third year of her age.

OTTE. On Monday, December 26, 1892, at 4:25 p.m., HENRIETTA R., beloved wife of R. Adolph Otte and daughter of Georg Lohl, in the twenty-third year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her father, 622 6th street southwest, on Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p.m. [Philadelphia and Fredericksburg papers please copy.] copy. J ROSS. Suddenly, on Sunday, December 2 at 6:30 p.m., at 1412 15th street northwest, W. ROSS, widow of the late Gen. Samu United States army. Interment at Lancaster, Pa.

SULLIVAN. Suddenly, on Monday, December 26, 892, EUGENE, the beloved husband of Mary Sulli-Yan.

His funeral will take place from his late residence.

No. 213 Virginia avenue southeast, on Thursday a
8:30, thence to St. Peter's Church, where his
requiem mass will be said for the repose of his soul's
9 o'clock. relict of the late Samuel I nompson, and seventy-two pears.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Jerome Davis, 1028-29th street north-west. Wednesday. December 28, at 2:30 p. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to at-tend.

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